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Physical Directors (scales of pay)

* 1015 *Q.*—SRI N. K. PALANISAMI : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Government have received any petition from the Physical Directors who are working in the various educational institutions in this State, about the present scales of pay; and

(*b*) if so, the action taken thereon?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (*a*) Yes, Sir.

(*b*) The matter is under consideration.

SRI N. K. PALANISAMI : May I know whether the Government are aware of the fact that the Physical Directors are low paid when compared to other States and if so, may I know why the Government have not taken a quick decision to increase their emoluments?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : Sir, this matter has been considered by the Pay Commission and they have made certain recommendation and that has been accepted. Over that, some representations have been made which are under the consideration of the Government.

Lady typists (employment)

* 1016 *Q.*—SRIMATHI P. K. R. LAKSHMIKANTHAM (on behalf of SRIMATHI RAJATHI KUNCHITHAPATHAM): கனம் முதல் அமைச்சர் தயவுசெய்து கீழ்க்கண்ட கேள்விகளுக்குப் பதிலளிப்பாரா—

(அ) நெல்லை மாவட்டத்திலுள்ள வட்டார வளர்ச்சி அலுவலகங்களில் டைபிஸ்ட்கள், கிளார்க்குகள் தேவைக்கு சமீபத்தில் (Employment) ஆபீஸிலிருந்து பெண்கள் பெயர் எத்தனை சிபாரிசு செய்யப்பட்டன ?

(இ) எத்தனை பேர் வேலைக்கு எடுக்கப்பட்டார்கள் ?

(உ) பெண்களையே எடுக்கவில்லையென்றால் அதற்குக் காரணம் என்ன ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (அ), (இ) & (உ) கீழ்ப்பிரிவு குமாஸ்தாக்கள், தட்டெழுத்தாளர்கள் தேவைக்கு 19 பெண்கள் பெயர் சிபாரிசு செய்யப்பட்டது. 19 ஆண்கள் மாத்திரம் எடுக்கப்பட்டனர். சௌகரியக் குறைவுள்ள இடங்களில் வேலை செய்ய வேண்டியிருப்பதைக் கருதி, ஆண்களே தேர்ந்தெடுக்கப்பட்டனர். இவ்விடங்களில் பெண்கள் தங்குவதற்கான சரியான இடவசதி கிடைப்பது கடினம்.

Reserve Forest lands in Kanyakumari (lease)

*1017 *Q.*—SRI T. S. RAMASWAMY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of acres in the reserve forest in the Kanyakumari district leased out on cultivation basis in (i) Rubber plantation areas, (ii) Softwood plantation areas, (iii) in teak plantation areas; and

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(b) the total lease amount realized so far during 1959–60 and 1960–61 from Kanyakumari district under Kumri Cultivation Scheme?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a) (1) Rubber plantation areas—326 acres.

(2) Softwood Plantation areas—665 acres.

(3) Teak Plantation areas—911·50 acres.

(b) (1) 1959–60—Rs. 2,013.

(2) 1960–61—Rs. 11,923.

SRI T. S. RAMASWAMY : May I know the average lease amount in these areas per acre?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : This is kumri cultivation. I do not have the figure about the average lease amount. In kumri cultivation, a nominal rent is levied and they are expected to safeguard the plantation and in this area, I am glad to inform the hon. Member that kumri cultivation has been fairly satisfactory.

Police officials and constables (dismissal)

* 1018 Q.—SRI A. A. RASHEED : Will the Hon. the Minister for Home be pleased to state—

(a) the number of police officials and constables dismissed in the year 1959–60; and

(b) the reason for their dismissal?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : (a) the number of police officials and constables dismissed from service during 1959–60 is 127;

(b) The reasons for their dismissal were reprehensible conduct, desertion from the force, gross neglect of duty, corruption, fabricating false evidence, insubordination and indisciplinary conduct and grave misconduct.

SRI A. A. RASHEED : May I know the number of police officials and constables dismissed in Madras City?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Their total number is 127, but I do not have the figures separately for the city.

SRI S. M. ANNAMALAI : ஸார், இம்மாதிரி தண்டிக்கப்பட்டு, நீக்கப்பட்டவர்களில் கெஜெட் உத்தியோகஸ்தர்கள் எத்தனைபேர் ; நான் கெஜட் உத்தியோகஸ்தர்கள் எத்தனை பேர் ?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Only one Gazetted Officer has been dismissed and the others were all Non-Gazetted officers.

SRI A. A. RASHEED : May I know the number of police officials and constables who were reinstated as a result of Court orders?

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : If the hon. Member gives notice of a separate question, I can give the information.